CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1.   A method for the management of construction bids, said method comprising:

receiving descriptive information related to a construction project;

electronically posting at least a portion of said descriptive information for viewing by a number of potential bidders;

maintaining a list of parties having an intent to bid on said construction project; and

updating a bidding status of said construction project to reflect participation by interested parties.

2.   A system for the management of construction bids, said system comprising:

at least one server configured to communicate with at least one networked user device; and

at least one database connected to said at least one server, said at least one database being configured to store descriptive information related to a construction project;

said at least one server being further configured to:

electronically post at least a portion of said descriptive information for viewing by a number of potential bidders;

maintain a list of parties having an intent to bid on said construction project; and

update a bidding status of said construction project to reflect participation by interested parties.

3.   A method for the management of construction bids, said method comprising:

receiving, via a computer network, descriptive information related to a construction project;

providing network access to at least a portion of said descriptive information; and

facilitating the communication of bids for said construction project between interested parties, via said computer network.